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In re application of:

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Amendment and Reply Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated October 9, 2007 in Appl. No. 09/875,204 (the '204 application), Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for the net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit account No. 50-3994.